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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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- Copy of the International Application filed on 03/24/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 03/24/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 03/24/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 03/24/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 03/24/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 03/24/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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LL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

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Response to Missing Requirements Under 35 USC § 371

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- (X) This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC 371.
- (X) Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 USC 371 dated September 1, 2006.
- (X) An Oath or Declaration signed by the inventors (35 USC 371(c)(4)) in 3 pages.
- (X) Power of attorney form and copy of assignment in 2 pages.
- (X) Statement under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) in 1 page.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.

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Late Oath/Decl.	37 CFR § 1.492(h)	1617 (\$130)		\$130	
			SUB TOTAL	\$130	
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(X) Please note that this application qualifies for small entity status. Please use the excess filing fees paid on March 24, 2006 toward the \$65 surcharge for the late oath/declaration. If this is not possible, then please charge Deposit Account #11-1410.

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